

I am writing to strongly support the continued ability of satellite radio providers to offer "localized" service. There is no compelling reason to thwart increased competition in the broadcast industry and nowhere is this more true than in radio. As a taxpayer and as a satellite radio subscriber I should have the ability to receive the programming of my choosing from the provider I choose - not by some government sanctioned pseudo-oligopoly. Again, allow competition in local programming by allowing satellite radio subscribers like me to receive the programming for which we pay.

Thank you.